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1. THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF EXIMBANK ON MARCH 14 AUTHORIZED A DOLS 2,700,000 CREDIT TO EASTERN PROVINCIAL AIRWAYS (1936) LTD. (EPA) TO FINANCE 45 PERCENT OF THE COST OF ONE BOEING 737 AIRCRAFT HAVING A TOTAL COST OF DOLS 6,000,000.

2. TERMS CALL FOR THE BORROWER TO MAKE A CASH PAYMENT OF 10 PERCENT OF THE COST OR DOLS 600,000. THE BALANCE OF 45 PERCENT OR DOLS 2,700,000 WILL BE EXTENDED BY THE MERCANTILE BANK OF CANADA AND WILL NOT BE GUARANTEED BY EXIMBANK. REPAYMENT TO BE MADE SEMIANNUALLY OVER A PERIOD OF 10 YEARS, BEGINNING JULY 10, 1975.

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3. REQUEST EMBASSY ADVISE EPA OF THIS ACTION, WHICH WILL BE

DETAILED IN LETTER TO IT WITH COPY TO EMBASSY. FURTHER
ADVISE BORROWER NEWS RELEASE INCLUDING ABOVE DETAILS SCHEDULED
FOR ANNOUNCEMENT HERE NEXT FEW DAYS. EMBASSY WILL BE PRO-
VIDED ADVANCE TEXT FOR THEIR INFORMATION PRIOR TO WASHINGTON
RELEASE.

4. OTHER THAN DISCUSSION WITH BORROWER, IT IS IMPERATIVE
ABOVE INFORMATION BE WITHHELD PRIOR TO SUBJECT PRESS
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